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1. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Received a call from Mr. Arthur Kuhl, STATOTHR  
Chief Clerk, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, who asked if I could

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2. (Confidential - JGO) Talked to Mr. Robert Blum, Senate Foreign  
Relations Committee staff, as a followup to the request of the Chairman for  
review of OSS files on Indochina. I made an appointment to meet with him here  
at Headquarters on Wednesday, 30 August. See Journal of 16 and 17 August.

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3. (Unclassified - GLC) Called Ray Jacobson, Director, Bureau of  
Policies and Standards, Civil Service Commission, to check with him on  
developments on the Ervin bill as it was attached as Title II of H. R. 12652.  
Mr. Jacobson said the Commission is preparing backup material for Chairman  
Celler's use if it is decided on the House floor that the Ervin amendment  
(Title II) is germane. Jacobson said this material would consist of a series of  
amendments which would make the Ervin bill conform in general to the  
provisions of the Hanley bill (including exemptions for FBI, CIA and NSA)  
but which would eliminate certain features of the Hanley bill which CSC considers  
objectionable--principally the establishment of a new board. Jacobson said they  
have talked with Justice Department in an effort to get them to intercede with  
Chairman Celler on this bill and are also contacting the Defense Department and  
the White House.

I told Jacobson that we had drafted a letter for the Director to send to  
Chairman Celler pointing out our concern with Title II of H. R. 12652 as it was  
added in the Senate. Jacobson said as long as we supported the position of the  
CSC in opposing the bill generally he saw no problem in our also pointing out our  
specific concerns. I am sending a copy of our draft letter to Jacobson for him  
to review.

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